

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

We'll Be Happy.

We'll be happy on the hilltop, we'll be happy on the plain, in spite of all the weather—let it shine or let it rain! An' if we miss the wagon, why, we'll jump aboard the train. An' we'll all be mighty happy in the mornin'!

The winter may be lonesome, an' the winter may be long, An' Jordan hard to ferry when the tide is pullin' strong, But we'll sight the land of promise—sing the hallelu song, An' we'll all be mighty happy in the mornin'!

F. L. STANTON.

Holt-Walker.

A beautiful home wedding was celebrated Tuesday, September 12th, in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Alexander Walker, of No. 1014 West Main Street, when Miss Dulcie Hill Walker was given in marriage to Mr. William Lewis Holt, of Lynchburg, Va., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Frederick Holt, and a prominent business man of the Hill City.

The hour of the ceremony was 6 P. M. Decorations in the hall and drawing rooms of the Walker home, were out of the green and white color scheme in palms, white asters and swansons. The Rev. J. J. Gravatt, of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, was the celebrant and Miss Mary Willie Smoot directed the music, playing the wedding march from Loehndorf and during the ceremony, Rubenstein's "Thou Art Like Unto a Flower."

The bride came in with her father and was given away by him. She was extremely handsome in her soft, trailing gown of white chiffon, built upon liberty silk and tulle, and trimmed with a bertha of rose point and lace. Her veil fell from a coronet wreath of orange blossoms, she carried a shower of lily of the valley, and her ornaments were pearls and diamonds. She was met at the altar by the groom and his best man, Captain Robert Edley Craighead, of Lynchburg. The groom and his best man were of the valley. Mrs. Walter Cabell Mercer, the bride's sister, was given away in white messaline, hand-shirred and finished with duchesse lace. Her flowers were La France roses. Following the ceremony, there was a reception for relatives and intimate friends of the contracting parties, after receiving congratulations and good wishes, Mr. and Mrs. Holt left to spend their honeymoon in Massachusetts.

Dining room decorations were in pink and green, the bride's cake occupying the place of honor in the center of the table, surrounded by pink wax tapers in silver candelabra, and veiled in pink tulle and ribbon, extending from the candelabra to the corners of the table. Lace covers over pink were pretty table accessories.

The future home of Mr. and Mrs. Holt will be in Lynchburg, where the groom is in the government service. Mrs. Holt possesses a very attractive personality and qualities that must win for her, wherever she goes, the large measure of esteem and popularity she has always enjoyed in Richmond.

The Stay-at-Homes.

Miss Lou Leigh, at No. 282 West Main Street, entertained the Stay-at-Home Whist Club Monday evening. The club mustered but three tables. The top score was made by Mrs. Bland Spottwood Smith and her partner, Mr. J. P. Harris. The club will meet at Miss M. P. Harris's next Monday night, the eighteenth instant.

U. D. C.

There will be an important meeting of the Richmond Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy this afternoon. Committee will be appointed to arrange for the State convention to be held in Richmond the second week in November. Delegates to the National convention in California will be elected and the question of salaries of officers will come before the meeting. The Richmond Chapter has always strongly opposed the practice of paying the officers, on the ground that the Southern women have always freely given their time and labor to the cause, and that they are still able to do so. This question is one of the most important to be discussed at the California convention. A complete report from the Confederate Museum will also be sent. Mrs. Robert Vawter is trying to make arrangements to charter a Pullman through.

The Flinchbaugh Lee Monument Memorial Association will convene at an early date to commence winter work. The good work will be pushed forward rapidly, and it is to be hoped that Richmond will soon have a fitting monument to her illustrious son.

Hughes-Oppenhimer.

Miss Maude C. Oppenhimer, sister of Dr. William Oppenhimer, of this city, was united in marriage on Tuesday, September 12th, to Mr. Carey Hughes. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, "Corinth Hill," Fluvanna county, and was a very quiet affair, owing to illness in the family. The bride was attired in a becoming traveling costume, and the young couple left immediately for Canada, where they will be for two weeks. The groom is a popular farmer of Fluvanna, where Mr. and Mrs. Hughes will make their home.

Have Returned Home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Huebner, of Buffalo, N. Y., who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Julius A. Grashaber, returned to their home several days ago, going by way of Buchers, Va., the old home of Mr. Huebner. This has been his first visit to this section, the scene of his boyhood days, for many years, and both

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Poems You Ought to Know.

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Professor Charles Eliot Norton.

No. 600.

SONG FOR THE LUTE.

By EDMUND GOSSE.

Other selections from this author, and his biographical sketch, have already been printed in this series.



BRING a garland for your head
Of blossoms fresh and fair;
My own hands wound their white and red
To ring about your hair!
Here is a lily, here a rose,
A warm narcissus that scarce blows,
And fairer blossoms no man knows.

So crowned and chapleted with flowers,
I pray you be not proud;
For after brief and summer hours
Comes autumn with a shroud;
Though fragrant as a flower you lie,
You and your garland, bye and bye,
Will fade and wither up and die.



This series began in The Times-Dispatch Sunday, October 11, 1903. One is published each day.

enjoyed themselves seeing many old friends and visiting points of interest around Richmond, for which he still possesses a strong interest. During their stay they participated in the novelty of raising "Old Glory" on the National Cemetery grounds at Seven Pines.

Miss Florence Thibauter has returned from a lengthy trip to Atlantic City, New York and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter C. Mercer and Master Roger Mercer have returned to the city after spending the summer at the Cold Sulphur Springs.

Among Richmond ministers at the Jefferson Park Hotel are Rev. F. T. McFadden, of the First Presbyterian and Rev. George W. McDaniel, of the First Baptist.

Miss Grace Fitzwillson, of New York City, is visiting Miss Claudia Selden, at No. 901 East Leigh Street.

Mr. R. P. Gray, of Greensboro, N. C., is in Richmond, under the care of Dr. Hodges.

Miss Minnie Bolton is visiting Mrs. W. C. Maxwell, of Charlotte, N. C.

Mrs. Ellen Wall and family will leave soon for Maysville, Ky., to spend several weeks.

Mrs. Barton Grundy will spend October at Hot Springs, Va.

Mrs. Beld Hopkins and son are visiting Mrs. A. B. Camm, at Fourth and Grace.

Mrs. Graham Hopkins will move into the new house at Fourth and Grace, recently built by Mr. B. B. Blair, opposite the Jefferson.

Miss Fannie Taylor, who has been visiting at Lewiston, has returned to Richmond.

The "Old Maids' Convention" was presented at the Opera House in Orange on Tuesday of last week. The proceeds went for the benefit of the U. D. C. and amounted to \$50. The cast included Miss Adra Bradbury, Miss Mary Gray, Miss E. H. De Jarnette, Misses Beside Walker, Elsie Sanford and Isabel Williams.

Mr. W. P. Powell has been appointed principal of the Morrisville High School, in Fauquier county. Mr. Powell is a graduate of Richmond College.

Miss Helen Dickinson is in New York City.

Goldsmith-Hirsch.

Cards have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. H. Hirsch, of Beaumont, Tex., for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Lila Hirsch, to Mr. Joseph M. Goldsmith, of Fredericksburg, Va.

Mrs. Potter has lost none of the beauty for which she was noted as Miss May Handy.

Dr. S. C. Mitchell, of Richmond College, has returned from an extended European trip.

Sunday's Washington Post says: "Mr. and Mrs. James Brown Potter will sail for America the latter part of this month and will come to Richmond to visit Mrs. Potter's sister, Mrs. Frank Powers. Later the Potters will go to Toledo, where Mr. Potter has been in Europe since last January. Mr. Potter paid a flying visit to this country in the spring, when he went to Toledo to look after his interests in that country. During his absence Mrs. Potter remained in Paris."

Mrs. Harper Anderson, of Ivy Depot, Va., and her son, Mr. A. S. Anderson, of the Union Theological Seminary, have been visiting in the city. Mr. Anderson is at No. 8 South Second Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Elman and their daughter, Elsie, have returned home, after

spending the summer at Millboro Springs, Va.

Mrs. Fitzhugh Mayo, of No. 18 West Franklin Street, has returned from Healing Springs, Va.

Mr. J. Shepherd Potts has returned from an extended trip to the Blue Ridge and the Blue Ridge Springs, where he spent a very pleasant vacation.

Mrs. M. B. McGuire, of No. 7 South Second Street, is visiting in Dinwiddie county.

Miss H. H. Richardson, of No. 1024 West Grace Street, has returned from Blue City, where she was a guest at the Brandon.

Ex-Governor Bloxham, of Florida, is staying at the Blue Ridge Springs.

Miss Bertha and Mrs. Vincent Adamson, of Richmond, and their sister, Mrs. Cowen, of Birmingham, Ala., have returned to Richmond from the Blue Ridge Springs.

Mrs. John H. Redd left Saturday for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. H. W. King, of Sulphur Mines, Va.

FOR PAYMENT OF PRIMARY EXPENSES

Northampton County Democrats Oppose the State's Bearing Them.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

EASTVILLE, VA., September 12.—Mr. J. L. Glaves, of Southwestern Virginia, who here yesterday to a large crowd, mostly Democrats. Mr. Glaves is a pleasant speaker and he made a good speech from a Republican point of view.

Mr. Glaves is booked for several points in Accomac before leaving the Shore. Mr. L. P. Summers was advertised for yesterday, but it was said sickness prevented him from coming.

A mass-meeting of the Democrats of the county was held yesterday afternoon, for the purpose of effecting a reorganization. The mass meeting resolved itself into district meetings and the following were named: For Eastville, R. L. Allworth, G. R. Nottingham, Dr. G. W. Holland, T. P. Bell, Dr. G. Fred Floyd, and J. S. Jarvis; for Franktown, Dr. Charles Smith, Clay Johnson, G. H. Thomas, A. B. Dutton, J. E. Nottingham, Jr., A. E. Dennis and J. H. Nicholson; and for Cape Charles, J. P. Moore, J. J. Hurlage, Walter Wilkins, Luther Willis, J. L. Haley, J. P. Fitchett and G. F. Paramore. Mr. R. L. Allworth was at the organization of the new committee, chosen again for the purpose of planning for the election of a number of years, and Mr. G. R. Nottingham, secretary.

The following resolution was offered by Dr. Charles Smith and adopted without dissent:

"Whereas, it is currently reported that a bill will be introduced at the approaching session of the General Assembly, providing that hereafter a general election be held at the same time by all political parties in the State, for the purpose of nominating candidates for all State offices, and the cost and expenses for holding said elections to be paid by the taxpayers of Virginia;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by this mass meeting of the Democrats of Northampton, duly assembled, that we hereby earnestly protest against the passage of such an unnecessary and burdensome law on the taxpayers of the State, and

Resolved, further, that our State Senators and representatives be and are hereby requested to vote against the passage of such an act."

CULBERTSON WAS AN ORPHAN BOY

Given Into the Custody of Detective Wren, Who Will Bring Him to Richmond.

WENT AWAY WITH CIRCUS

Since Then He Has Has Led a Roving Life—To Be Tried for Violating Election Law.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

YORK, PA., September 12.—Detective Wren, of Richmond, Va., came to York today and was given the custody of C. L. Culbertson alias C. L. Marchand, who is wanted in Richmond for alleged fraud perpetrated in the recent primary election.

It is claimed that Culbertson, although a non-resident of Richmond, had himself appointed a register in that city, and according to evidence heard by the grand jury, padded his registry lists, causing many fraudulent votes to be counted. He was arrested near Thomasville, this country, by a local constable.

Who is Larin K. Culbertson? Echo doesn't have to answer, "Who?" for Mr. P. P. Winston, of the Law and Equity Court, can tell.

Culbertson has been in the public eye ever since the discharge of the special grand jury that indicted him, and since Mr. W. L. Royall has had the centre of the stage in his fight for pure elections.

He is alleged to have come here at the instigation of Syrie, and to have got mixed up with Jackson Wise at the Third Monroe Precinct and to have done things contrary to the laws of the State, and the constitution of the State.

He, in conjunction with the others named, got into trouble, and hence the quest of the Richmond sleuth, who goes into the territory of the greatest manipulators of political fraud on earth.

Left Him Her All

Culbertson is a young man who has had lots of chances to do something, and he has made a number of years ago, when he was a boy of about five, he was left an orphan in one of the counties of the State. There came to the Legislature from that county a rope-son named Kendrick. He met and wooed, while here, the beautiful Miss Lucy King, who lived on Broad Street, near Fourteenth. She had some property in her own name.

After the Legislature adjourned the couple returned to the woods, where in a year or so, Mr. Kendrick passed away.

Then Mrs. Kendrick returned to her native city, bringing with her the little Culbertson orphan. She adopted him, and did what she could to educate him, but after awhile she died, and in her will, now on record in the Chancery Court, she left everything to her foster son, Culbertson. The estate amounted to something like \$1,500. Her friends prayed, before Judge Lamb, that a guardian be appointed, and it was at the request of the court and the friends of the orphan, that Mr. P. P. Winston accepted the responsible position.

He dealt kindly with the lad, but the latter's health was bad, and he could do no work worth talking about. The boy was sent out on a neighboring farm, but he would not stay, and one day, the boy, well grown then, asked his guardian to let him go away with a circus. He went. Later he returned, and asked Mr. Winston to get him a job on the street cars. The latter refused to do so, and there, having come of age, and secured all that was coming to him from the estate, which amounted to about \$200, he went away.

About five years ago, Mr. Winston heard that the young man had been in position in Philadelphia, and it has been several years since he has seen his former ward.

The Possible Penalty.

The punishment that may be meted out to Culbertson if found guilty of the crime alleged, may be from six to twelve months in the penitentiary with a fine of as much as \$50, or it may be a term of twelve months in jail, with a fine of as much as \$100.

Judge Witt is expected back this week. The September term of the court begins on Wednesday next. There are thirty-three indictments, and it is quite likely that the grand jury will be asked to go further into the investigations of alleged election frauds.

Crab Feast To-night.

The crab feast of the night to-night will be given by the members of the Manhattan Club in honor of their old friend, Mr. Fred Wyckoff, and company, who are playing "Uncle Sam" at the Bijou this week. The feast will be one of the grandest social events in the club's history.

Dr. Taylor to Leave.

The Suffolk correspondent of the Norfolk Virginian-Pilot, writing under date of September 12, says:

Rev. Dr. J. B. Taylor, at the close of his morning sermon at the Baptist Church on Sunday, announced to the church that on the last Sunday in October he will leave Suffolk to go to work in Suffolk. Life has been here since the last of January. He came to take charge of the church only as a temporary or acting pastor, but a permanent pastor was obtained, and unexpectedly to himself, he was called to leave. He urged the congregation to proceed at once to secure a permanent pastor, who would settle among them.

Dr. Taylor has gained many friends in Suffolk, not only among his own denomination, but in the community generally, and his departure will be much regretted.

At the Theatres.

Fred Wyckoff and his excellent company are delighting large audiences at the Bijou. The play is a sweet and wholesome one, and it is presented by capable men and women.

Mr. Wyckoff is an old favorite on this circuit, and as a star, he is being greeted with great favor.

His "Uncle Sam" is a part that will always be remembered by Bijou patrons. The show should not be missed by those who love wholesome comedy-drama.

Field's Minstrels To-night.

The Al G. Field Greater Minstrels will arrive in this city over the Southern Railroad in their private cars this morning, and will be seen and heard at the Academy this afternoon. The sleeper is a new car, and has attracted the attention of railroad men over the country. It is somewhat longer than the ordinary Pullman, and will comfortably accommodate about sixty people. The interior is finished in cherry, while the exterior is painted a dark green, with wide gold striping with the name, "Dan Emmett," conspicuously displayed on either side in letters of gold. The Dan Emmett is constructed entirely of steel, reducing the danger from fire to a minimum. The car is equipped with the latest non-telescoping devices.

The combination car, known as "Southland," contains a large dining room with ten tables and a baggage department. The dining room affords ample accommodation for the company. All scenery and stage paraphernalia are carried in the baggage room, which runs almost the full length of the car, which is eighty-four feet long.

The Quaker City Quartette, which has proved an attractive feature for a number of years with the Field's Minstrels, has been re-engaged for this season and will be heard in a new repertoire of songs. Reese Prosser, the noted Welsh tenor, commonly called "The Jean DeFeste of the minstrel stage," will again be featured with the Field aggregation, and all the vocal features will be under the direction of Paul LaLonde.

The New McFadden.

"McFadden's Row of Flats," brightly new and furnished with a glittering new outfit of scenery, costumes, music, jokes and pretty girls will be the welcome attraction at the Academy Thursday and Friday, with Friday matinee. This clever farce comedy, written by E. W. Townsend and Glen MacDonough, was suggested by the famous pictures and sketches known as the "Yellow Kid."

It has been one of the most successful entertainments ever staged, and has attracted a large audience for its management, who has, therefore, not hesitated at a lavish expenditure on this season's production. In the company are a number of star entertainers, among whom may be mentioned Gusie Nelson, Marion Henry, the Preston sisters, May Baker, Alice Barker, Annie Muller, Marie Donoghue, Carl H. Anderson, Billy Barry, Clark Gandy, the Speck brothers and Joe Deming.

The Eternal City.

"The Eternal City" Hall Caine's greatest work, will be the attraction to open the Academy next week. No more impressive piece is on the American stage today. The story centres about a Pope of the future, who is married and becomes a priesthood. His wife dies, and his son, David Rossi, is lost. His father, a successful official, whose aim is to overthrow papacy. The father and son reunite each other when the latter is found, and he is about to be condemned by the head of the Catholic Church.

IN POLICE COURT.

Variety of Cases Engages Attention of Justice John.

Charles Hall, a very small negro, was arraigned before Justice Crutchfield yesterday morning on the charge of stealing a pair of trousers. The trousers—large enough to make about two suits of clothes for the pickaninny—were presented in evidence, and the case was continued for witnesses.

Albert Grammar, the grammarian from the ward was charged with abusing another negro. The other negro was a groom at the time he got into the abusing. Annie Carter, the bride, who got tangled up in matrimony with another negro, carried to her partner four children who called Albert papa. Albert was arguing the case, said he, when the charge was made against him.

"Get out! Get out!" shot out Justice John. "I'll have nothing to do with such intricate matters."

Joe Shortell, A. H. Farmer and Kate Richardson will altogether spend seventy days in jail. The two first named are to spend thirty days each, and Kate will hang around the villa for ten days. Minnie Johnson, paraded around the court at an early hour, and after her appearance shocked Officer Wyatt, and he immediately threw his coat around her form and brought her to the station house, where said she had been from the public view. She didn't have the \$10.

Junius Howard, a negro, went to the grand jury for slaying Alfred Daniel white. Junius didn't deny the killing, but he tried to break into the penitentiary, said the judge.

Henry Loving, a white man, said he didn't steal a saw but just took the tool. He got fifteen days, and the drug was passed along and didn't receive much mercy.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Chittenden Family Quarrel to Have An Early Climax.

As a sequel to the sensational shooting case which recently occurred in the city of C. B. Chittenden, who Chittenden fired at his wife with a shotgun, the former yesterday filed a suit for divorce against the latter in the Law and Equity Court of statutory grounds.

Judge Ingram, upon the presentation of the bill by Chittenden's counsel, entered an order restraining the man's wife from in any way interfering with him, pending the trial of the case.

Louis London, named by Chittenden in the bill as correspondent to the suit, Chittenden is a railroad man and resides on West Marshall Street.

For the Target Practice.

Old Market Hall is being put into condition for the police target practice there next Tuesday. Hereafter the practice has been held in the Seventh Street Armory.

Old Market Hall adjourns the First Police Station and the court will use it for purposes of which the police will use it.

Are Old Enough to Marry.

A marriage license was issued by the clerk of Henrico county yesterday morning to Jacob Kinney, a negro, who says he is about sixty years old, to Annie Green, aged sixty years.

The groom-to-be has wept over the

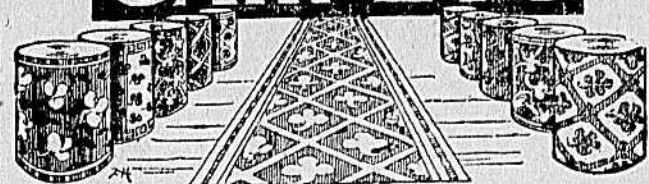
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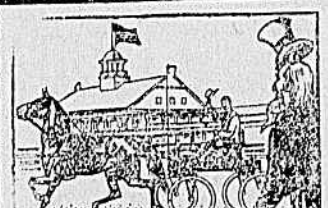
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